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TALENT HUNT

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Gitarattan Institute of Advanced Studies and Training organized its much-anticipated "Talent Hunt 2024," an annual event dedicated to discovering and celebrating the diverse non-academic talents of its students. The event provided a vibrant platform for students from all courses to step into the spotlight and showcase their unique skills in various performing arts, fostering an environment of creativity, confidence, and mutual appreciation. Talent Hunt 2024 was a resounding success, effectively achieving its goal of bringing the latent talents of the students to the forefront. The event was not just a competition but a celebration of the creativity and passion that thrives within the institute. It provided a refreshing break from the academic schedule and left everyone with cherished memories. The event concluded with the prize distribution ceremony, where the best performers were felicitated for their outstanding talent.

TEACHERS DAY CELEBRATION

05.09.2024



The Teacher's Day Celebration at Gitarattan Institute of Advanced Studies and Training was held on 5th September 2024 with great enthusiasm and respect. The event began with a warm welcome to all faculty members, followed by heartfelt speeches by students expressing their gratitude towards their teachers for their continuous support and guidance. A cake-cutting ceremony added joy to the celebration, symbolizing love and appreciation for the teachers. Students presented songs, dances, and small performances to make the day memorable. The atmosphere was filled with laughter, affection, and admiration. Our respected coordinator, Dr. Shikha Ranjan, addressed the gathering and motivated both students and teachers with her inspiring words. The celebration concluded with smiles, group photographs, and a heartfelt vote of thanks.

GANESH CHATURTHI CELEBRATION.

06.09.2024



The festival of Ganesh Chaturthi was celebrated with great devotion and enthusiasm at Gitarattan Institute of Advanced Studies and Training on 6th September 2024. The event began with the traditional Aarti and Prayers offered to Lord Ganesha, symbolizing the removal of obstacles and the beginning of auspicious occasions. Students and faculty members actively participated in decorating the space with beautiful handmade idols, rangolis, and floral arrangements. The atmosphere was filled with devotion and joy as prayers, bhajans, and cultural performances took place. Our respected coordinator, Dr. Shikha Ranjan, performed the ritual of lighting the lamp and offered prayers to Lord Ganesha, inspiring everyone with her words on the importance of faith, creativity, and togetherness. The celebration beautifully reflected the spiritual and cultural values of the institution, promoting harmony and devotion among all. The event concluded with the distribution of prasad and a sense of positivity and unity among students and staff.

FRESHERS PARTY CELEBRATION.

21.09.2024



The Fresher's Party for the new batch of students was organized on 21st September 2024 at Gitarattan Institute of Advanced Studies and Training to welcome the newcomers into the institute family. The event was filled with enthusiasm, creativity, and togetherness as students showcased their talents through dance, singing, and ramp walk performances. The venue was beautifully decorated with colorful balloons, lights, and a theme-based setup that added to the festive atmosphere. The seniors warmly welcomed the freshers with fun games and cultural programs that helped them feel comfortable and connected. Our respected coordinator, Dr. Shikha Ranjan, addressed the gathering with encouraging words, motivating students to embark on their new academic journey with confidence and dedication. The highlight of the event was the Mr. and Ms. Fresher Contest, where students expressed themselves with grace and confidence. The program concluded with a vote of thanks, group photographs, and a joyous dance floor session that brought everyone together. The day ended on a cheerful note, marking a memorable beginning for the new students and strengthening the bond among all.

POSTER/ COLLAGE MAKING ON GANDHI JAYANTI

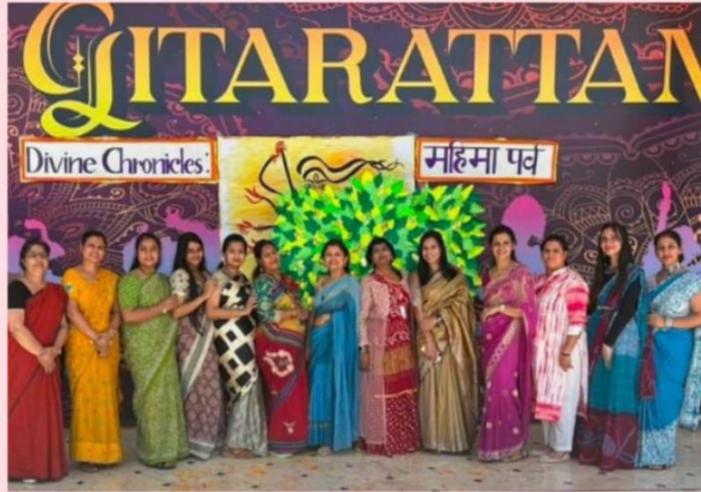
27.09.2024



To commemorate the birth anniversary of Mahatma Gandhi, a Poster and Collage Making Competition was organized on 27th September 2024 at Gitarattan Institute of Advanced Studies and Training. The event aimed to spread awareness about the principles and values of truth, non-violence, and simplicity taught by the Father of the Nation. Students enthusiastically participated in creating thought-provoking posters and collages on themes such as Peace, Swachh Bharat, Non-Violence, and the Life of Mahatma Gandhi. The vibrant artwork reflected their creativity, artistic expression, and understanding of Gandhian philosophy. Faculty members encouraged and guided students throughout the activity, appreciating their efforts and originality. The event not only nurtured artistic skills but also reinforced the moral and ethical values that Gandhiji stood for. Our respected coordinator, Dr. Shikha Ranjan, appreciated the participants and emphasized the importance of following Gandhi's ideals in everyday life. The event concluded with a display of all artworks, spreading the message of peace, harmony, and patriotism among students.

DUSSEHRA CELEBRATION

11.10.2024



The Gitarattan Institute of Advanced Studies and Training (GIAST) successfully organized its annual Dussehra Celebration on October 11, 2024. The event was conceptualized to commemorate the victory of good over evil, fostering a sense of cultural heritage, unity, and festive spirit among the faculty, staff, and students. The Dussehra Celebration 2024 was a successful cultural event that effectively brought the GIAST community together. By celebrating this significant Indian festival, the institute reinforced its commitment to providing a holistic environment that values both academic excellence and cultural enrichment. The event concluded successfully, leaving the participants with a renewed sense of community spirit and festive joy.

MINDFULNESS ACTIVITY WORKSHOP: BY MS. SHELLY TANDON

16.10.2025



The visual evidence confirms that the Mindfulness Activity workshop led by Ms. Shelly Tandon at the Gitarattan Institute of Advanced Studies and Training on October 16, 2024, involved practical sessions focusing on balance and concentration exercises, specifically through the practice of yoga, to promote present-moment awareness and mental clarity.

CCA: RANGOLI MAKING & BULLETIN BOARD DECORATION.

25.10.2024



The Co-Curricular Activity Cell of Gitarattan Institute of Advanced Studies and Training organized a Rangoli Making and Bulletin Board Decoration competition as part of the Diwali celebrations on 25-10-2025. The event aimed to cultivate the artistic talents of the teacher trainees, foster a spirit of teamwork, and celebrate the cultural significance of the Festival of Lights, Diwali. The competitions were held to encourage creativity, aesthetic sense, and hands-on skills among the participants. The CCA on Rangoli Making and Bulletin Board Decoration for the Diwali celebration was a resounding success. The event fully achieved its objective of promoting artistic expression, fostering unity, and adding a vibrant, festive atmosphere to the institute. The enthusiastic participation of the teacher trainees underscored the importance of such co-curricular activities in their holistic development, enhancing their aesthetic sensibilities and cultural awareness.

EDUCATIONAL TRIP (JIM CORBETT + NAINITAAL)

8-9-10 .11.2024



The Gitarattan Institute of Advanced Studies and Training successfully organized a four-day educational and recreational trip to Jim Corbett National Park and Nainital from November 8th to November 11th, 2024. The excursion was planned as part of the co-scholastic activities to provide students with a blend of theoretical and experiential learning in the fields of Environmental Education, Ecology, and Cultural Studies. The trip was highly appreciated by all the student participants for its blend of education, adventure, and relaxation. The arrangements for travel, accommodation, and meals were executed smoothly by the organizers. The efforts of the accompanying faculty members in ensuring the safety and well-being of the students throughout the journey are commendable.

REPUBLIC DAY CELEBRATION

24 January 2025



The Gitarattan Institute of Advanced Studies and Training (GIAST) marked India's 76th Republic Day with patriotic fervor and cultural splendor on Saturday, January 25, 2025. The event, organized to celebrate the foundational values of the Indian Constitution, saw enthusiastic participation from the entire B.Ed. student community, faculty, and staff.

EDUCATIONAL TRIP: RANGMANCH

31 January 2025



The Stage as a Classroom: Exploring Pedagogy through Rangmanch 🍷

As a vital component of our 'Art and Drama in Education' course, we engaged in a 'Rangmanch' (theatre) workshop. This immersive experience was a practical exploration of drama as a powerful pedagogical tool. We delved into character development, script interpretation, and stage presence, understanding how theatrical activities can foster confidence, empathy, and collaborative skills in students. This session equipped us with valuable techniques to create dynamic, participatory, and expressive learning environments.

WORKSHOP OF TIE & DYE /BLOCK PAINTING

10-2-2025 to 12-02-2025



On February 10-12, 2025, we participated in an intensive workshop that spanned three unique traditional art forms: Tie and Dye, Lippan art, and Tanjore painting. This practical session, led by Ms. Sheetal Chopra, was a fantastic opportunity to move beyond theoretical knowledge and engage directly with the materials and methods that have been passed down through generations.

Tie and Dye: We explored patterns and color theory through fabric manipulation.

Lippan Art: We developed tactile skills by working with clay and mirrors to create textured murals.

Tanjore Painting: We learned the meticulous process of cone work, gold foiling, and gem setting.

This multi-faceted workshop equipped us with a diverse set of artistic techniques that can be simplified and introduced to students of various age groups, promoting multi-sensory learning and artistic self-expression.

EXTEMPORE: CURRENT TOPIC ON EDUCATION

14-02-2025



The Gitarattan Institute of Advanced Studies and Training conducted a Co-Curricular Activity in the form of an Extempore Competition on 7 February 2025. It was an inter-house competition as both D.EL. ED & B. ED students were actively participated. The Extempore competition aimed to enhance the students public speaking skills, critical thinking and confidence. Participants were given topics on the spot and were required to speak spontaneously for a set duration. The topics were covered in the competition such as- Traveling, Women Empowerment, Global Warming and Importance of Education. The participants were evaluated based on the following criteria: content Relevance, Fluency and confidence, clarity of thought, body language and expression or time management. The competition witnessed remarkable performances, with participants confidently presenting their thoughts with clarity and passion. The event provided a platform for students to articulate their ideas effectively while thinking on their feet... The students presented well-researched perspectives, citing practical examples and statistical data to support their arguments. Their speeches explored both the boon and bane aspects of the topics, providing a balanced view. The discussions reflected their analytical skills, depth of thought, and ability to articulate their points effectively. It was a great event.

EDUCATIONAL EXCURSION AT “SURAJKUND”

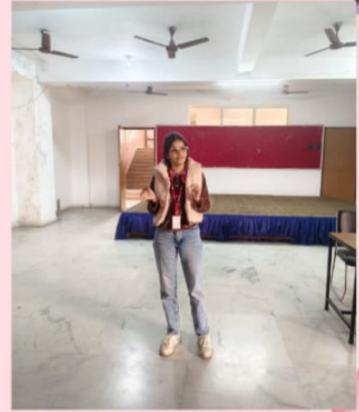
18-02-2025



On 18-02-2025, our college, Gitarattan Institute of Advanced Studies and Training, organized an educational visit to the renowned Surajkund Mela. The trip aimed to provide students with an opportunity to explore the rich cultural heritage of India, witness traditional craftsmanship, and experience a vibrant display of art and culture from different states and countries. Upon arrival, we were greeted by a lively atmosphere filled with colorful decorations, traditional music, and enthusiastic visitors. The mela showcased a variety of stalls featuring exquisite handicrafts, handloom textiles, and artisanal products from different regions of India. It was fascinating to witness skilled craftsmen demonstrating their artistry, including pottery making, wood carving, and embroidery.

CCA:- JUST A MINUTE (HINDI & ENGLISH)

21-02-2025



The Gitarattan Institute of Advanced Studies and Training successfully conducted a Co-Curricular Activity in the form of a Just a Minute (JAM) Competition on 21 February 2025. The event witnessed enthusiastic participation from students of both B.Ed. & programs, allowing them to enhance their quick thinking, fluency, and confidence. It was an inter-house competition under the guidance of our teachers. Each participant picked a random chit and spoke spontaneously on topics such as "If I had a superpower," "How to tackle Bad habits" "online learning," "Benefits of yoga," "The best day of your life," and "Pros and cons of social media." The activity aimed to improve students' public speaking abilities, self-expression, and presence of mind. This house activity was a resounding success. It helped students develop essential skills and had a positive impact on their confidence and communication abilities and overcome stage fear. Participants were evaluated based on content relevance, fluency, clarity of thought, confidence and time management.

MOCK INTERVIEW BY EXPERTS (BY VARIOUS FACULTY)

27.02.2025 to 28.02.2025



On 27th and 28th February 2025, Gitarattan Institute of Advanced Studies and Training organized a two-day Mock Interview Drive for B.Ed second-year students, aimed at preparing future educators for their professional journey. The initiative provided a remarkable opportunity for students to experience real-time interview scenarios, enhancing their confidence and preparing them for future career endeavors.

The Mock Interview Drive was meticulously planned to simulate the environment of an actual job interview, covering various aspects such as subject knowledge, communication skills, personality assessment, and problem-solving abilities. Each student was interviewed by a panel of experienced faculty members and external experts, who provided constructive feedback on their performance.

CCA-UNDER HOUSE ACTIVITY -SPORTS COMPETITION: SHELLY TANDON

07.03.2025



The Gitarattan Institute of Advanced Studies and Training successfully organized a Sports Competition on 7 March 2025. The event aimed to promote teamwork, sportsmanship and physical fitness among students. Students from both B. ED I & II Year enthusiastically participated in various races and challenges, including Three-Legged Race, 50m Race, Flip the Cone, Back Race, Hurdle Race, Balance the Ball with Race, and Tug of War. The competition was conducted under the guidance of faculty members, who encouraged and motivated students to give their best in every event. Teachers played a vital role in boosting our confidence and fostering a spirit of healthy competition. The Sports Competition was a great learning experience, teaching us the values of perseverance, teamwork, and discipline. It provided a refreshing break from academics and reminded the students as the importance of physical activity in our daily lives. The event was marked by excellent sportsmanship and teamwork displayed by all participants. The sports competition was a huge success, promoting unity, discipline, and physical fitness among students

CCA: BULLETEIN BOARD DECORATION

21.03.2025



The students of all houses actively participated in the CCA activity of board decoration with great enthusiasm. The students displayed remarkable creativity and teamwork throughout the task. The activity commenced at 12:00 PM onwards, with some students coming pre-prepared with materials while others worked diligently to create new decorative elements. With a keen sense of creativity and dedication, they transformed their assigned boards into visually appealing displays. Once their own boards were completed, the students extended their support to their peers, showcasing a spirit of teamwork and cooperation. Their collective efforts resulted in beautifully decorated boards, reflecting their artistic skills and commitment to the activity. Overall, the board decoration event was a great success, highlighting the enthusiasm and dedication of all house students.

SKILL DEVELOPMENT - CULTURAL STATE FAIR UNDER ART & DRAMA

26.03.2025



As a cornerstone of our practical curriculum for 'Art & Drama in Education', a "Cultural State Fair" was organized and executed by the B.Ed. student-teachers. The event was conceptualized as a vibrant, experiential learning project where the entire cohort was divided into groups, with each group representing a different state of India. The objective was to create a microcosm of India's cultural diversity, using various art forms to research, represent, and celebrate the rich heritage of the assigned states.

This activity moved beyond theoretical learning, requiring students to actively engage in planning, creating, and presenting a multi-sensory experience that showcased the art, drama, music, attire, and cuisine of their chosen state.

BEST OUT OF WASTE"

28.03.2025



The Gitarattan Institute of Advanced Studies and Training successfully conducted a Co-Curricular Activity in the form The “Best Out of Waste” Inter-House Competition was held with the objective of promoting creativity, environmental awareness, and teamwork. All B.Ed. students had participated in this competition. This competition encouraged students to create innovative and useful items from waste materials, giving them an opportunity to showcase their ingenuity while helping to raise awareness about recycling and sustainability. The event was an exciting and energetic display of resourcefulness, with each house putting forward their best efforts to produce functional and artistic creations out of discarded items. The competition served as a reminder of how waste materials can be transformed into something beautiful, useful, and environmentally friendly. A lot of effort was put into making the items by everyone and there was a lot of brainstorming involved. It was a fun and educational initiative that fosters responsibility toward nature while showcasing artistic talent.

TREASURE HUNT COMPETITION

04. 04.2025



To foster a spirit of teamwork, critical thinking, and vibrant campus engagement, the Student Activity Cell of Gitarattan Institute of Advanced Studies and Training organized an exhilarating Inter-House Treasure Hunt. The event was designed as a co-curricular activity to provide students with a dynamic and interactive break from their academic routines, encouraging them to explore the campus and collaborate with their peers in a fun and competitive setting.

MEGA JOB FAIR

26.04.2025



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"ACTION RESEARCH": ITS IMPLICATION ' !



An Extension lecture on SOLVING SCHOOL PROBLEMS THROUGH ACTION RESEARCH was held on Tuesday, March 21, 2023, at the Giarattan Institute of Advanced Studies and Training and the speaker was Dr. S.K. Bhatia (former Associate professor, CIE, University of Delhi). He has stood as the institution's anchor and is a foundation of academic success in all spheres. Dr. S.K. Bhatia sir started his lecture by sharing his own personal experience of Army Public School, Subroto Park. He followed an inductive approach to make all understand the concept of Action Research in 1960. He then mentioned how this extension lecture on action research will be beneficial for all the student teachers and covers most of the crucial details related to the topic.

FAREWELL

14/05/2025



To bid a fond adieu to the outgoing B.Ed. batch of 2023-2025, a grand farewell ceremony was organized by their juniors. The event was a celebration of the two memorable years the senior students spent at the institute, marking the culmination of their academic journey and the beginning of their professional careers as educators. The theme of the day was centered on celebrating memories and wishing success for the future. The farewell ceremony was a resounding success and a memorable day for all present. It was an emotional and joyous occasion that perfectly encapsulated the spirit of the B.Ed. program at Gitarattan Institute. The event not only celebrated the academic achievements of the students but also the strong bonds and friendships forged over two years. The institute wishes the B.Ed. batch of 2023-2025 a bright and prosperous future as they step into the noble profession of teaching.